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**Subject:** Inpatient Medicaid Access to Care Initiative (MACI) Pools

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**Programs Affected:** Medicaid, Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS)

Effective November 3, 2005, for MACI payments made in State fiscal year 2006 and beyond, the established inpatient MACI pools will be modified to include paid claims for services provided through sub-acute ventilator-dependent care units with beds licensed as hospital beds. Each hospital's share of the inpatient MACI pools will include these new services.

Inpatient services will include both acute and rehabilitation services provided through distinct part rehabilitation units, freestanding rehabilitation hospitals, and sub-acute ventilator-dependent care units. Services paid to Long Term Care providers will not be included, with the exception of services paid to sub-acute ventilator-dependent care units with beds licensed as hospital beds. Revenue from licensed hospital beds utilized at less than an acute or rehabilitation level of care will be excluded from the paid claims file, with the exception of revenue from sub-acute ventilator-dependent care beds licensed as hospital beds.

### Manual Maintenance

Retain this bulletin until the information is incorporated into the Medicaid Provider Manual.

### Questions

Any questions regarding this bulletin should be directed to Provider Inquiry, Department of Community Health, P.O. Box 30731, Lansing, Michigan 48909-8231, or e-mail at [ProviderSupport@michigan.gov](mailto:ProviderSupport@michigan.gov). When you submit an e-mail, be sure to include your name, affiliation, and phone number so you may be contacted if necessary. Providers may phone toll-free 1-800-292-2550.

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